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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

As a self-employed designer, having access to reliable high-speed internet is critical to the ongoing success of my business. The level of customer care Sonic has been able to provide has proven invaluable to me. After years of AT&T service downtime, Comcast rate hikes, speed throttling, and impenetrable automated call center tech support, I gave up on both of the big providers. Please DO NOT take away my access to Sonic Internet ... it's what allows my business to thrive!

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